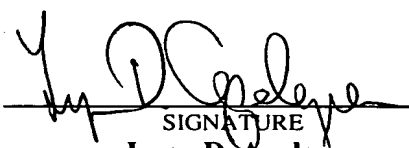



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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/US2005/000023	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 19 January 2005 (19.01.2005)	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 26 January 2004 (26.01.2004)	
TITLE OF INVENTION: USE OF FGF-21 AND THIAZOLIDINEDIONE FOR TREATING TYPE 2 DIABETES			
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US: Alexei KHARITONENKOV and Tatiyana Leonidovna SHYANOVA			
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19.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The following fees are submitted:		CALCULATIONS PTO USE ONLY	
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